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The requested pages from Hogness and Johnson showing the publication date etc. accompany this communication. In addition, a copy of the European Search Report on the Provisional Application from which this application depends, is also enclosed. The Examiner will note that this search report found no prior art upon which this application could be rejected.

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